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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 - Return Copy**  
**Preliminary Amendment and Statement (2 pp.)**  
**Sequence Listing (paper copy 18pp.)**  
**Sequence Listing (computer readable form)**

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- English Translation of the IA
- Information Disclosure Statements
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**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below:

- The nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosure contained in this application does not comply with the requirements for such a disclosure as set forth in 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 for the following reason(s):

- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e).
- APPLICANT MUST PROVIDE:
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